

09/15/03

Sheet 1 of 1

FORM PTO-1449 SAMUELS, GAUTHIER & STEVENS LLP  
(Rev. 5/92) 225 Franklin Street, Boston, MA 02110  
Telephone: (617) 426-9180

**INFORMATION DISCLOSURE  
STATEMENT BY APPLICANT**

MIT.9858  
ATTORNEY DOCKET NO.  
*TORMEN ET AL.*  
APPLICANT: *Tormen et al.*  
FILING DATE: *Herewith 09/15/03*

Unknown  
SERIAL NO. *10/663544*  
*2874*  
GROUP: *Unknown*  
*Phan Palmer*  
EXAMINER: *Unknown*

**U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS**

EXAMINER INITIAL		DOCUMENT NUMBER	DATE	NAME	CLASS	SUBCLASS	FILING DATE IF APPROPRIATE
	AA						
	AB						
	AC						
	AD						
	AE						
	AF						
	AG						
	AH						
	AI						

**FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS**

EXAMINER INITIAL		DOCUMENT NUMBER	DATE	COUNTRY	CLASS	SUBCLASS	TRANSLATION YES NO
	AJ						
	AK						
	AL						

**OTHER DOCUMENTS** (Including Author, Title, Date, Pertinent Pages, Etc.)

EXAMINER INITIAL		
<i>PH</i>	AM	"An optical filter of adjustable finesse using a mach zehnder interferometer," Chew et al. <i>Singapore</i> ICCS. 1994.
	AN	
	AO	

EXAMINER *Phan Palmer*

DATE CONSIDERED *04/26/2005*

**EXAMINER:**

Initial if citation considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609; draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant.

FORM PTO-1449 SAMUELS, GAUTHIER & STEVENS LLP  
(Rev. 5/02) 225 Franklin Street, Boston, MA 02110  
Telephone: (617) 426-9180

MIT.9858

ATTORNEY DOCKET NO.

TORMEN et al.  
APPLICANT: Haus et al.

FILING DATE: 9/15/03

10/663,544  
SERIAL NO.

GROUP: 2872-2874

EXAMINER: Unknown

Phan Palmer

**INFORMATION DISCLOSURE  
STATEMENT BY APPLICANT**

JUL 02 2004

2004

## U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS

EXAMINER INITIAL		DOCUMENT NUMBER	DATE	NAME	CLASS	SUBCLASS	FILING DATE IF APPROPRIATE
PH	AA	4,592,043	5/27/86	Williams			4/24/84
	AB						
	AC						
	AD						
	AE						
	AF						
	AG						
	AH						
	AI						

## FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS

EXAMINER INITIAL		DOCUMENT NUMBER	DATE	COUNTRY	CLASS	SUBCLASS	TRANSLATION YES NO
PH	AJ	EP 1 158 326	5/8/01	EPO			Yes
PH	AK	WO 02/08815	1/31/02	WIPO			Yes

## OTHER DOCUMENTS (Including Author, Title, Date, Pertinent Pages, Etc.)

EXAMINER INITIAL		
PH	AL	"New Integrated Optical Ring Resonator In Glass"; Wang et al., Electronics Letters, October 8, 1992, Vol. 28, No. 21
PH	AM	"Brillouin Fiber Laser Pumped by a DFB Laser Diode"; Yon et al., Journal of Lightwave Technology, Vol. 21, February 2003; IEEE 2003
PH	AN	"Tunable Chromatic Dispersion Compensator Utilizing Silica Waveguide Ring Resonator Having Mach-Zehnder Interferometric Variable Coupler Eliminating Crossing Point of Waveguides"; Takahashi et al.; Annual Meeting of the IEEE Lasers & Electro-Optics Society, Vol 1 of 2, Pgs.: 665-666, 11/13/02
PH	AO	"A tunable mode-locked erbium-doped fibre laser using a Lyot-type tuner integrated in lithium niobate"; Rejeaunier et al., Optics Communications, 11/15/00; Vol. 185, no. 4-6, pgs.: 375-380

EXAMINER Phan T.H. Palmer

DATE CONSIDERED 04/26/2005

## EXAMINER:

Initial if citation considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609; draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant.